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SUBJECT: OFFICIAL REQUESTS CRS COUNTERPROPOSAL

REF BUJUMBURA 40, BUJUMBURA A-15, CLARK-KEITER MEMCON OF
MARCH 20, 1973 (ALL NOTAL)

1. PLEASE PROTECT NDUWAYO, WHO IS DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN MOFA.

2. AS RESULT NDUWAYO'S EFFORTS IN RESPONSE BEING INFORMED
CRS'S PATIENCE NEARLY EXHAUSTED, BURUNDI GOVERNMENT DRAFT OF
NEW CRS-GRB AGREEMENT PRESENTED TO CRS DIRECTOR CLARK AND NEW
YORK REPRESENTATIVE ROSME CURTIS ON MAY 15. DRAFT ESSENTIALLY
REDUCES CRS TO IMPORTER OF COMMODITIES TO BE TURNED OVER TO
GRB. IT THUS TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE. NDUWAYO'S OPTIMISM AND
FORTHCOMING ATTITUDE NEVERTHELESS SUGGESTED IT MIGHT BE
WORTHWHILE PRESENT COUNTERPROPOSAL. HOWEVER, EMBASSY
UNDERSTANDS RECOMMENDATION SIMPLY TO CLOSE HAS GONE TO CRS
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NEW YORK.

3. NDUWAYO CALLED ME MAY 27 TO INQUIRE WHAT CRS REACTION TO DRAFT WOULD BE. I SAID I DID NOT KNOW BUT THAT CRS VERY DISCOURAGED, NOT LEAST BY HARD-LINE ATTITUDE THAT DRAFT REFLECTS. NDUWAYO ACKNOWLEDGED THAT DRAFT "EXTREMIST", BUT SAID HE SURE SOMETHING ACCEPTABLE CAN BE WORKED OUT. HE MAINTAINED THIS VIEW WHEN I BRIEFLY RE-SKETCHED MINIMUM CRS REQUIREMENTS.

4. COMMENT: NDUWAYO SPOKE AS IF HE HAD GOOD CARDS TO PLAY, AND WE SPECULATE THEY MAY INCLUDE RESULTS INTERVENTION FATHER BARAKANA, WHO HAS BEEN INFORMED OF SITUATION. WHILE ACCEPTABLE OUTCOME FAR FROM ASSURED, BELIEVE IT IS BEST

U.S. INTEREST TO RESPOND NDUWAYO'S DESIRE COOPERATE, WHICH IN PART STIMULATED BY CRS AND EMBASSY. THUS URGE THAT CRS PRESENT COUNTERPROPOSAL, EVEN IF IT ESSENTIALLY REHASH OF EXISTING AGREEMENT.

5. NDUWAYO WILL BE ABSENT FROM BUJUMBURA FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS BEGINNING JUNE 05. URGE THAT CRS COUNTERPROPOSAL NOT REPEAT NOT BE MADE DURING HIS ABSENCE.

6. PROPOSED ACTION. SUGGEST DEPARTMENT MAY WISH PASS GIST ABOVE TO CRS NEW YORK.

7. FOR KIGALI: PLEASE PASS GIST TO MISS CURTIS, PRESENTLY IN RWANDA.

8. FOR DAKAR: PLEASE PASS GIST TO MONSIGNOR KAISER, WHO WE UNDERSTAND PRESENTLY VISITING CRS SENEGAL EN ROUTE TO BURUNDI. PLEASE INFORM IF UNABLE CONTACT.
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